For this purpose, The Maritime Zones of India (Regulation of Fishing by Foreign Vessels) Act, 1981 came into force with effect from 2nd November, 1981.

12. Exemption on excise duty on HSD to the fishing craft of 13.7 M and above and those fitted with 150 BHD engines.

13. Model Bill circulated to Maritime States/U.Ts. for delimitation of territorial waters for the benefit of traditional fishermen community.

14. Implementation of externally-assisted projects for transfer of technology and integrated development of fishermen community.

Mineral deposits in Jammu

*75. SHRI DHARAM CHANDER PRASHANT: Will the Minister of STEEL AND MINES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that a team of geologists has recently toured various parts of Jammu and to explore possibilities of extraction of mineral deposits; and

(b) what is the report of the team and which minerals are available in the region?

THE MINISTER OF STEEL AND MINES (SHRI K. C. PANT): (a) and (b) Exploration, mineral investigations and assessments are a continuous process. Geological Survey of India carries out geological mapping and mineral investigations throughout the year according to the programme approved by the Central Geological Programming Board. There is a Circle Office at Jammu, headed by Director and supported by a team of 13 Geologists undertaking geological mapping and mineral investigations.

2. In the Field Season Programme for 1985-86 ending September, 1986, mineral investigations undertaken, include (i) to investigate and assess the incidence of gold in the middle and Upper Siwaliks and placer gold in recent and sub-recent gravels-sands of the rivers draining through the Siwaliks of Jammu and (ii) to locate cement grade limestone bands in the autochthonous belt extending from Sudh-Mahadev to Banjal Gala area of Udhampur district.

3. The minerals available in the Jammu region are bauxite, bentonite, coal, gypsum, iron-ore, limestone, magnesite marble, sapphire, gold, slate etc.

4. The GSI Officers submit their annual reports to the Director General, GSI every year at the end of the Field Season.

Modernization of the Sone Canal in Bihar

*76. SHRI INDRADEEP SINHA:
SHRI SURAJ PRASAD:

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that the World Bank is not interested to finance the modernization of Sone Canal as the Bihar Government has failed to make adequate allocation of funds;

(b) whether the Central Government have informed the Bihar Government in this regard; and

(c) whether the Central Government propose to finance the Sone Canal modernisation scheme?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) and (b) The Sone Modernisation project is under consideration for World Bank assistance.

(c) No, Sir.

Drug and alcohol de-addiction centre in Delhi

*77. SHRI RAMCHANDRA BHARADWAJ: Will the Minister of WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Minister has inaugurated a drug and alcohol Centre on

Sadar Thana Road in Delhi on March 31, 1986;

(b) whether there is a scheme for setting up a network of such centres in Delhi in particular and the country in general, if so, what are the details thereof; and

(c) what are the functions and objects of such centres?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF WELFARE (DR. RAJENDRA KUMARI BAJPAI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Seven Counselling Centres for drug addicts were sanctioned recently on 30-12-1985 in Delhi. Modalities can be worked out for setting up such Centres in other parts of the country after watching the functioning of the Centres in Delhi.

(c) These Centres are to take care of a number of aspects, such as, provision of rehabilitation cover, supply of information regarding sources of treatment co-ordination with other rehabilitation centres, data collection and storage, dissemination of data, liaison with enforcement agencies and support of individual and group therapy etc.

Cauvery water disputes between Tamil Nadu and Karnataka

*78. SHRI M. KALYANASUNDARAM:
SHRI R. MOHANARANGAM:

Will the Minister of WATER RESOURCES be pleased to state:

(a) what is the present stage of the Cauvery water dispute between Tamil Nadu and Karnataka; and

(b) when the meeting of the Chief Ministers concerned would be convened by the Centre for seeking an early solution of the long pending dispute?

THE MINISTER OF WATER RESOURCES (SHRI B. SHANKARANAND): (a) and (b) The Chief Ministers of Karnataka and Tamil Nadu have been holding talks bilaterally. Further discussions are expected to be held by them soon.

Code for Commercial Advertising and Sponsored Programmes on Doordarshan

*79. SHRI SATYA PRAKASH MALAVIYA:
SHRI VIRENDRA VERMA:

Will the Minister of INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING be pleased to state :

(a) whether Government have laid down any code for commercial advertising and sponsored programmes on Doordarshan; if so, what are the details thereof; and

(b) whether any evaluation has been made to ascertain the effectiveness of the code?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF INFORMATION AND BROADCASTING (SHRI V. N. GADGIL): (a) Yes, Sir. A Statement indicating the salient features of the Code is annexed. (*See below*).

This applies to advertisements and sponsored programmes as well.

(b) No, Sir. However, a review of the Code is being undertaken.

Statement

1. Advertising should be so designed as to conform to the laws of the country and should not offend against morality, decency and religious susceptibilities of the people.

2. No advertisement should be permitted:

(i) which derides any race, caste, colour, creed, nationality except wherein such usage would be for the specific purpose of effective dramatisation, such as combating prejudice;